

**MINUTES OF THE HOUSE
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND
WORKFORCE SERVICES STANDING COMMITTEE**

Room 25 House Building
February 19, 2013

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Becky Edwards, Chair
Rep. Rich Cunningham, Vice Chair
Rep. Jim Bird
Rep. Richard Greenwood
Rep. Lynn Hemingway
Rep. Ronda Rudd Menlove
Rep. Merrill Nelson
Rep. Curt Oda
Rep. Angela Romero
Rep. Brad Wilson

MEMBERS ABSENT: Rep. Brad Last

STAFF PRESENT: Ben Christensen, Policy Analyst
Linda Service, Committee Secretary

Note: A list of visitors and a copy of handouts are filed with the committee minutes.

Chair Edwards called the meeting to order at 2:05 p.m.

MOTION: Rep. Oda moved to approve the minutes of the February 12, 2013 meeting. The motion passed unanimously. Rep. Nelson and Rep. Wilson were absent for the vote.

H.B. 222 Domestic Asset Protection Trust Amendments (Rep. D. Brown)

Rep. Brown introduced the bill, assisted by Mr. Russ Tippetts, estate planning attorney.

MOTION: Rep. Wilson moved to pass out **H.B. 222** with a favorable recommendation. The motion passed unanimously.

H.B. 209 Public Assistance Restrictions (Rep. D. Brown)

MOTION: Rep. Menlove moved to replace **H.B. 209** with **1st Substitute H.B. 209**. The motion passed unanimously.

Rep. Brown introduced the bill with the assistance of Mr. Geoff Lanward, Department of Workforce Services.

Ms. Barbara Housley, citizen, spoke in favor of the bill.

MOTION: Rep. Hemingway moved to pass out **HB. 209** with a favorable recommendation.

MOTION: Rep. Oda moved to adjourn. The motion passed with Rep. Menlove, Rep. Nelson, Rep. Romero, and Rep. Edwards voting in opposition to the motion. Rep. Edwards adjourned the meeting at 3:21 p.m.

Rep. Becky Edwards, Chair